

ABSTRACT

While ethnology examines living cultures, archeology, one of the disciplines of social sciences, aims to understand past cultures. The purpose of this study is to investigate the applicability of ethnoarcheology in Anatolia.

The outline of this study is as follows: After introduction chapter, chapters one, two and three examine the definition, historical development, and national development of ethnology, archeology and ethno archeology respectively. Chapter four explores the etnoarcheological studies conducted in Anatolia.

The geographical regions in Anatolia, topography, climate, rain there are differences between each other. In the same geographical region there are different cultures. Especially in the country site, communities save political, social, economical structures for along time. These situation possibilities to the ethnoarchaeological works in Anatolia. Especially in Anatolia, East and Southeast Anatolia, Central Anatolia, low population areas, Mediterranean and Black Sea region habitats and far away from the coastal region and Western Anatolian coasts rural settlements and the communities living in the high lands of intern sites. Show that ethnoarcheology can be practiced in Anatolia.